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REPORT

OF THE

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS,

OF THE

TOWN OF HANOVER,

AND ALSO, OF THE

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

MARCH 13, 1865.

HANOVER, N. H.
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Town of Hanover in Account with their Selectmen from March 10, 1864 to March 14, 1865.

DR.		*CR.*	
To paid State Tax	3050 00	By amount of Tax bill 1864	$7161 34
County Tax,	1141 47	State Treasurer—Literary Fund	123 48
School Tax,	1220 19	U. S. Bounties	2206 00
School Fund,	252 00	Interest on School land and Notes	100 43
Highways and Pridges,	148 71	Russell Goss on Note	53 89
Miscellaneous Expenses,	771 48	Received from other sources	26 939 20
Former Debts,	5476 95	From State—Soldiers' aid	2137 90
Soldiers' Families,	2800 71	A. Smith's Note 1862	42 56
Bounties to Volunteers and Substitutes,	25,246 55	N. S. Huntington 1863	301 60
Abatements D. Hurlbutt's Tax bill 1861,	4 96	David Hurlbutt	7 48
Due on A. Smith's Note	42 56		
N. S. Huntington's Note,	113 31		40,673 88
E. C. Delano's Tax bill 1864,	329 55	Balance due Selectmen on Town account	219 95
Abatements on Tax bill 1864	38 79		
P. W. Durkee's Note,	256 60		40,893 83
	$40,893 83		

Town of Hanover in Account with their Overseers of the Poor from March 8, 1864 to March 14, 1865.

DR.			*CR.*	
To amount of Property at the Town Farm Feb. 14, 1865		4018 48	By amount of Property at the Town Farm Feb. 13, 1864	3622 26
To paid Miscellaneous Expenses		1264 48	By Cash for Labor, Stock and Produce sold	2398 80
Town and County Paupers		1086 23	of County	613 26
Former Debts		353 77	of Canaan	24 43
			of Silas Hardy	6 50
		2604 42	of Newport	48 00
Due the Town on Overseers' account	386 61			3091 03
Due Selectmen on Town account	219 95			
		166 66		

School Money.

Amount of School Money paid the several School Distrcts of Hanover, as receipted by the P. S. Committees :

Districts.	P. S. Committees.	School Tax.	Sc. Fund.
No. 1.	D. F. Richardson,	436 38	14 00
2.	E. W. Smith,	53 40	14 00
3.	Henry Chandler,	39 09	14 00
4.	A. D. Johnson,	89 33	14 00
5.	William Fresh,	134 64	14 00
6.	Henry Pinneo,	43 63	14 00
7.	Eli Hurlbutt,	75 56	14 00
8.	William Hatch,	29 44	14 00
9.	William Vance,	33 38	14 00
10.	Hiram Davis,	38 33	14 00
11.	H. N. Merrill,	15 57	14 00
12.	O. R. Withington,	29 99	14 00
13.	C. A. Sweat,	55 05	14 00
14.	N. H. Withington,	19 79	14 00
15.	E. R. Withington,	29 33	14 00
16.	Leonard Babbitt,	21 13	14 00
17.	A. T. Dudley,	59 32	14 00
18.	David Walker,	16 33	14 00
		1220 19	252 00

Received from other sources.

Of State Treasurer—Literary Fund,	123 48
H. H. Withington 9,25, R. F. Shepherd 4,03	13 28
U. Dow 4,97, Cyrus Camp ,75, O. Pinneo 4,68	10 40
J. L. Bridgman	76 75
	223 91

The donation of the late Jonathan Freeman, Esq., for an accumulating School Fund, with its additions, is in the hands of J. L. Bridgman, amounting Feb. 20, 1865 to $193,72. Also, Asa Brown's Note amounting Feb. 20, 1865 to $11,67. The whole amounting to $205,39.

Highways and Bridges.

Dist. No. 2, John Tenney 8,47, A. Smith ,76	9 23
No. 5, Calvin Webb for plank	5 00
No. 10, George Dudley for plank	2 00
No. 7, Darius Hurlbutt	4 00
No. 11, Moses Plummer for labor and plank	25 76
No. 12, F. Withington for labor and plank	28 26
No. 13, David Camp for labor	5 50
No. 14, Robert Withington for labor and plank	18 00
C. Fitts for labor and plank	6 00
No. 15, Amos Kinne for labor and plank	31 00
E. F. Withington for plank	8 04

G. T. Pillsbury for labor	2 20
No. 16, Russell Goss	3 20
No. 18, David Walker for plank	52
	148 71

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Paid Dartmouth Savings Bank	60 90
J. K. Collins interest 12, 24 Engine men 36,	48 00
E. C. Delano for collecting tax	69 00
J. S. Adams interest on Note	11 33
O. S. Ingalls service as Town Clerk and taking affidavits	31 74
do. insurance on bridge and buildings Town Farm	68 75
D. L. Guernsey blank books	7 58
Joseph Tenney use Hall	67 50
Sylvester Cross use watering trough	2 00
John Sanborn do. do.	3 00
Bezaleel Smith Superintending School Committee	60 00
J. S. Adams expense to Canaan	1 50
E. C. Delano collecting School House tax	3 00
N. S. Huntington services as Selectman	75 25
J. S. Adams do.	53 25
H. H. Withington do.	40 75
I. O. Dewey two depositions	1 00
J. L. Bridgman interest on Note	76 75
J. S. Adams do.	58 42
O. S. Ingalls do.	1 76
Daniel Blaisdell	10 00
N. S. Huntington, Treasurer	20 00
	771 48

Former Debts.

Paid Former Selectmen 363,75, W. K. Hadley labor 1,21	364 96
John Sanborn plank 4,25, J. S. Perley plank 1,70	5 95
I. O. Dewey despatch ,97. D. Kimball's bill 25,55	26 52
T. M. Colby damage on road	6 00
I. O. Dewey and C. A. Aiken Auditors	3 00
G. W. Muzzey Note 107,63, O. S. Ingalls Note 264,34	371 97
Carlos Simmons do. 137,75, Seth Blodgett do. 319,43	457 18
U. Dow do. 431,11, N. S. Huntington do. 1457,00	1888 11
I. G. Hurlbutt do. 832, I. E. Flanders do, 206,	1038 00
Dartmouth Savings Bank do.	509 17
N. Dudley do. 215,18, I. B. Allen do. 408,	623 18
Daniel Blaisdell do. 60,50, Insurance 15,41	75 91
J. L. Bridgman's bill	1 80
	5476 95

EXPENSES ON ACCOUNT OF THE WAR.

Paid State Aid, Soldiers' Families.

Wm. H. Adams	122 00	Sarah Lyman	60 00
Patrick McCarty	132	Sarah Bithrow	48
G. S. Humphrey	92	Enos Parker	48
Wm. Pardee	48	Lucinda Moody	132
T. Cross	132	James Donaldson	108
Francis Bergeron	134	K. Donaldson	42
Wm. Allen	88	Sarah Williams	44
K. Hutchins	60	J. A. Russell	16
W. H. Foss	132	Ada Smith	16
David Carlisle	111 96	M. Everett	36
John McNally	145	Isabella Dewey	145
A. A. Smith	86	R. Beauregard	20
Elias Smith	48	Lucy Jackson	32
S. D. Smith	65 75	Clara Wyatt	18
Susan Tilton	126	S. S. P. Smith	16
Susan Herbert,	96	Laura Pingree	48
H. Cook	20	James Burk	16
Margaret Pelton	105	Susan Goodrich	132
Hannah Ramsdell	80		
			2800 71

Bounty paid Volunteers and Substitutes.

One hundred and fifty dollars paid to each of the following persons :—

Silas Burnham, Lewis Barron, Wm. Bithrow, Edwin Pinkham, Peter Parrant, Edwin Parker, J. C. Moody, Michael Givins, Alanson Spaulding, Augustus Brewster, Wm. Everett, D. W. Haskell, Philip Goodrich, Alfred Burk, Israel Paudaint, Antoin Emery, Daniel Donaldson, E. L. Pardee, A. Dudley, J. W. Dewey, 3000 00

John Goss 500 00

The following Volunteers six hundred dollars each :—

Albert Camp, A. L. Corey, Irenus Pingree, R. F. Lyman, Chas. Johnson, Charles Woodward, Carlton Camp, H. P. Hutchins, H. K. Hutchins, J. W. Boutwell, A. W. Stickney, D. B. Russell, Barna Barker, 7800 00

Paid the following who sent Substitutes :—

D. M. Ross, J. C. Piper, J. L. Norris, H. T. Fitts, J. D. Bridgman, D. A. Poland, George Goss, J. H. How, G. W. Eaton, Lysander Woodward, W. P. Hayes, J. W. Patterson, Henry Fairbanks, H. H. Withington, M. E. Bradbury, C. L. Hubbard, F. Simmons, D. B. Ross, J. M. Hayes, E. M. Emerson, E. W. Carter, C. A. Sweat, 13,800 00

J. L. Bridgman's bill	80 13
I. B. Allen use of team	5 00
Stationery, Postage, Revenue Stamps, and Telegraph Dispatches	26 92
N. S. Huntington time spent filling quota	22 50
Expenses to and at Concord	12 00
	$25,246 55

CASH RECEIVED.

Of J. W. Dewey	300 00	Murinda Fellows	150
D. M. Hayes,	650	Darius Hurlbutt	150
David Hurlbutt	110	Wm. H. Topliff	200
Lora G. Hurlbutt	800	Minerva Owen	100
Reuel Durkee	1285	Jason Dudley	100
Elanson Spaulding	200	J. S. Perley	350
J. L. Bridgman	1900	U. Dow	100
Isaac Fellows	700	Laura A. Dewey	270
Urvilla Fellows	60	George Dewey	600
Mary J. Emerson	215	Joseph Tilden	400
Laban Chandler	200	S. W. Cobb	500
Mm. McIntire	100	William Tenney	500
Diana Chandler	1000	Bradley True	200
S. C. Field	500	Irenus Pingree	500
Alden Childs	2000	R. C. Lyman	250
J. J. Mason	700	C. R. Woodward	300
Emeline Hurlbutt	200	Carlton Camp	500
Marinda Goodell	420	Barna Barker	550
P. W. Durkee	600	John Sweat	300
Eunice Mason	850	B. D. Russell	500
Ira P. Fellows	1000	Martain Calahan	100
Lydia Stevens	100	Lewis Hall	385
Calvin Webb	250	O. S. Ingalls	250
E. C. Delano	500	J. T. Sweat	700
Asa Huntington	300	Charles Houston	600
E. D. Carpenter	1500	Dog Tax	60
Ira Fellows	200	Fast driving on bridge	2 50
Susan C. Brown	200	George Clark interest	4 50
A. W. Fellows	200	Mrs. Wood	4 20
Susan Bartlett	73		
C. A. Sweat	300		$26,939 20

Liquor Agent's Report.

The Agent for the purchase and sale of Liquors for the Town of Hanover, submits the following Report for the year ending Feb. 18, 1865 :

CASH ACCOUNT.

		DR.
Received for Liquors, &c. during the year,	1813,75	
Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1864,	57,40—	1871 15
		CR.
Paid for Liquors, &c. during the year,	1693,96	
Agent's Salary, Insurance, Taxes, &c.	134,34	
Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1865,	42,85—	1871 15

STOCK ACCOUNT.

Liquors, Casks, &c. on hand Feb. 18, 1864,	363,24	
Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1864,	47,40—	420 64
Liquors, Casks, &c. on hand Feb. 18, 1865,	468,49	
Cash on hand Feb. 18, 1865.	42,85—	511 34
Balance in favor of the Town,		90 70

HANOVER, FEB. 21, 1865. JAMES A. SMITH, AGENT.

OVERSEERS' REPORT.

Inventory of Property on the Tow n Farm Feb. 13, 1864.

67 tons hay $804 ; lot straw 10 · 1 pr oxen 175 ; 4 cows 125	1114 00
2 2yrs old heifers 50 ; 2 yearling heifers 25 ; 252 sheep 1,663	1738 00
3 shoats 32 ; 3 pelts 5,50 ; 72 bu. wheat 126 ; 75 bu. corn 105	268 50
42 bu. peas and oats 42 ; 1½ bu. beans 3,75 ; 4 bu. peas 8	53 75
6 bu. India wheat 5 ; ½ bu. herdsgrass seed 1.50	6 50
11 bu. salt 8,80 ; 550 lbs pork 68,75 ; 100 lbs. ham 12	89 55
75 lbs. beef 6,75 ; 30 lbs. dried beef 5,40	12 15
d6 lbs. fresh meat 4,60 ; 12 lbs. sausages 2	6 60
55 lbs. butter 13,75 ; 135 lbs. lard 22,50	36 25
154 lbs. cheese 23,10 ; 6 galls. molasses 4,50	27 60
10 galls. boiled cider 7,50 ; 10 galls. vinegar 2,50	10 00
½ bbl. cider 1,50 ; 115 bu. potatoes 80,50	82 00
150 bu. turnips 30 ; 10 bu. beets and carrots 2,50	32 50
75 lbs. dried apple 7 50 ; 5½ lbs. yarn 11	18 50
2 1-2 lbs. tea 3,12 ; 5 lbs. sugar ,92	4 04
96 lbs. candles 16,32 ; 8 lbs. tallow 1.00	17 32
3 bbls. soap 12 ; 3 bu. onions 3	15 00
We estimate the Farming Tools and Household Furniture worth more than last year	100 00
	$3,632 26

A. T. DUDLEY,
H. H. WITHINGTON, } *Appraisers.*

Inventory of Property on the Town Farm Feb. 14, 1865.

45 tons Hay, $1050, lot of Straw and Corn Fodder 12,00	$1062 00
3 cows 130, 2 3-yrs-old heifers 75, 2 2-yrs-old heifers 75,	280 00
3 yearlings 28, 251 sheep 1858, 3 shoats 60,	1945 00
47 bu. corn 98,70, 33 bu. wheat 64,25, 30 bu. oats 30,	192 95
2 bu. peas 4,20, 2 bu. beans 5, 2½ bu. India wheat 2,92,	12 12
¾ bu. H. G. seed 4, 8 bu. salt 10, 375 lbs salt pork 94,	108 00
100 lbs beef 12, 110 lbs lard 24,20, 65 lbs butter 32,50	68 70
80 lbs cheese 17, 70 bu. potatoes 35, 100 bu. beets 30,	82 00
12 bu. carrots 6, 40 bu. turnips 12, 25 galls. cider 3,	21 00
17 galls. vinegar 4,25, 3 bbls. soap 18, 1 bu. onions 1,	23 25
84 lbs candles 23,52, 24 lbs sugar 6,24, 3½ lbs yarn 7,87	37 63
5½ lbs rolls 9,62, 10 lbs dried apple 1,50, 111 lbs ham 24,42	35 54
56 lbs shoulder 10,08, 49 lbs fresh beef 6,86	18 94
22 lbs fresh pork 3,52, 9 lbs sausages 2,25, 35 lbs dried beef 8,75	14 52
1 mowing machine	117 84
	$4018 49

We estimate the Farming Tools and Household Furniture, not including the Mowing Machine, as good as one year ago. There has been expended on barns one hundred dollars within the year.

WM. H. DAVISON,
J. M. HAYES, } APPRAISERS.

Amount of Produce sold from the Town Farm from Feb. 14, 1864 *to Feb.* 14, 1865.

Wm. Hersey 10 bu. potatoes 4,50, A. C. Field 3192 lbs hay 24,18	28 68
Ashbel Smith half bu. corn, half bu. peas	2 25
I O. Dewey 10 bu potatoes 7,50, 10 lbs butter 3,33	10 83
M. Pike 2 calves 14,50, A. I. Merrill 2 tons hay 24,	38 50
H. H. Marshall 2 bu. potatoes 1,50, F Smith 4 1-2 bu. wheat 9,	10 50
Jason Dudley 2 bu. wheat 4, C. G. Chandler 3 bu. wheat 6,	10 00
A. P. Balch, 6 bu. wheat 13,50, 3 bu. potatoes 3,	16 50
S. W. Cobb 2 bu. peas 5, 42¼ lbs butter 11,33	16 33
Dr. Lord 1710 lbs hay 11,97, N. H. Hurlbutt ton hay 14,	25 97
S. Merrill 3 bu. potatoes 3, Nancy Currier 4 lbs cheese ,60	3 60
L. Simmons half bu. corn 1,25, W. Fullington 1 pig 4,	5 25
W. Hall 22 qts corn 1,70. pasturing oxen 2,42, 8 turkeys 7,	11 12
Capt. Skinner 20 lambs 63,45, M. Pike 1 Cow 60,	123 45
O. Carter pasturing cow ,65, A. T. Dudley ¾ bu. potatoes ,75	1 40
Pattee & Co. 16 tons 761 lbs hay, and board	210 00
A. Johnson pasturing cow ,75, beef hide 7,10	7 85
J. Gerrish for wool 1021,04, H. Davis pasturing oxen 4,	1025 04
S. W. Cobb 51 1-2 lbs butter 15,75, Celly 1 calf 10,	25 75
S. C. Field pasturing oxen 10,50, 1 lamb 4, 1 horse 110,	124 50
N. S. Huntington 8¼ lbs lard 1,98, J. J. McPherson 2 pigs 7,	8 98
L. C. McPherson 25 lbs butter 10, 150 lbs beef 13,50,	23 50
do. 87 lbs pork 13,05, E. G. Goodrich 1 pig 4,50	17 55
J. J. Mason 2 pigs 9, J. Owen 8 1-2 lbs pork 2,10	11 10
Huntington & Simmons 39¾ lbs butter 18,77, 43 lbs chickens 8,60	27 37
do. 36 1-2 lbs cheese,	7 30
O. P. Hubbard 40 bu. potatoes 20, H. Durkee 10¾ lbs butter 5,37	25 37
Martin Callahan 2 pr socks 1,50, C. Gerrish 44 seeep 288,	289 50
C. Gerrish pr of oxen 250, H. Bughee 6 pelts 10,	260 00
Labor off the Farm	30 65
	2398 84

Expenses at the Town Farm from Feb. 13, 1864 *to Feb.* 14, 1865.

John Gould for Rounds for ladder ,25, Asa Brown for labor 7,	7 25
Zeb Real shoeing oxen 3, F. L. Owen shearing sheep 1,25	4 25
Hildreth half bu. grass seed, tin ware, &c.	6 13
J. G. Ticknor repairing harness ,75, J. J. Mason use of oxen ,60	1 35
W. Hall 6 bu. ashes 1, O. Hubbard 8 bu. ashes 1,60	2 60
Geo. Dewey beet seed ,30, H. Stickney use hog 1,	1 30
J. O. Dewey 125 lbs sugar 22,50, S. C. Field fish 6,	28 50
W. Hersey fresh fish ,58, L. Smith labor on barn 16,	16 58
W. Hall shearing sheep 2,50, J. J. Mason do. 2,50,	5 00
D. H. Camp do. 5, H. H. Withington do. 2,75,	7 75
J. Goodale 1 cow 36, H. D. McPberson labor 15	51 00
W. R. Fork Co. repairing forks 3, Haynes and Fell horse fork 8,40	11 40
J. W. Dodge 20 bu. salt 22, Store bill 17,92, H. Murch bill 1,88	51 80
W. Lang for labor 90,24, J. Sweat for lumber 8,80	99 04
B. Piper for threshing 6, J. L. Owen for labor 4,75	10 75
David Walker for covering stone	2 00
J. C. Sturtevant for windows 5, for coffin 6,50	11 50
For labor in house 28, J. L. Hurlbutt for oxbows ,94	28 94
Lewss Hall gall. vinegar ,25, Charles Benton use of buck 6,	6 25
P. W. Durkee use buck 4, Lewis Hall for calf 8,50	12 50

H. Carter use hog 1,50, J. K. Collins mowing machine 117,84	119 34
Cambridge carding rolls 2,52, B. D. Howe diary ,75	3 27
Stickney use bull 3, Wm. Dewey saw bill 2,86,	5 86
Mellish repairing clock 1, E. K. Smith crackers ,50	1 50
F. H. Nichols coffin 5, S. W. Cobb bill 86,64,	91 64
I. O. Dewey bill 42,90, T. Carter do. 12,28, E. Smalley do. 12,70	67 88
J. J. McPherson pasturing sheep 14,06, Greno repairing wagon 3,	17 06
Page use bull 3, J. Huntoon bill 2,37, R. Durkee labor ,25	5 62
C. Housion pasturing colt 3,60, A. P. Balch for fence boards 11,50	15 10
D. B. Pelton pasturing sheep 26,50, L. Waterman for horse 116,	142 50
J. M. Aldrich bill 3, Huntington & Simmons' bill 50,51	53 51
J. M. Hayes and W. H. Davison for appraising	3 00
L. C. McPherson coat for Durkee	3 00
L. C. McPherson for services one year ending April 1, 1865	350 00
A. Parks for spruce lumber	3 00
H. H. Withington pasturing sheep	26 25
	$1264 42

Paid for support of Town Paupers.

Paid Mrs. Stevens 80,50, Mrs. Morse 110,55	191 05
N. Asylum for Perley Buck	156 76
House of Reformation for Ervin and Amos Chandler	91 98
F. D. Slade for John Durkee	10 00
D. Clark for Stephen Hadley	24 17
Mary Corey's child 79,93, Annette Bugbee 57,	136 93
Pattee & Perley for Mrs. Howard	14 27
Adaline Bugbee 43, Huntington & Simmons' bill 4,08	47 08
E. C. Chandler's bill	20 00
N. S Huntington as Overseer of the Poor	41 00
J. S. Adams do. do.	12 75
H. H. Withington do. do.	17 00
	$762 99

Physicians' Bills for Town Paupers.

Paid Dr. Wheat's bill for Mrs. Howard	18 00
Dr. Smith's bill	18 00
	36 00

Paid for County Paupers.

Paid J. S. Adams for Mrs. Kinsley 12, for Huldah Smith 1,55	13 55
Mrs. Everett for Huldah Smith	42 00
I. O. Dewey for do.	2 66
Carlos Clifford for Joseph Bryant	5 75
E. D. Carpenter for do.	2 75
J. S. Adams for do.	5 00
E. D. Carpenter for Mrs. Kinsley	2 75
B. F. Plummer for Mrs. Cross	69 47
Geo. Clark for do. 8,50, R. Goss for do. 10,	18 50
Mich. McCarty for Mrs. Kinsley	2 75
Dewey & Co. for do. 5,64, for David Carlisle 5,	10 64
Huntington & Simmons for do.	7 25

J. L. Bridgman for H. Daniels	4 41
Huntington & Simmons for Huldah Smith	9 07
Mrs. Everett for Ruth Whiting	36 00
Sally Northrop for Lettie O. Neal	1 50
Dewey & Co. for Joseph Bryant	2 69
M. Aldrich for Mrs. Stark 3, Transient paupers 13,50	16 50
	253 24

Physicians' Bills for County Paupers.

Dr. Smith's bill for Mrs. Carrol 1,75, for Mrs Stark 10,25	12 00
do. do. for Mrs. Sowerby	10 00
A. B. Crosby's bill for do.	12 00
	34 00

Former Debts.

Paid Peter Bugbee 10,20, J. Tilden for Mrs. Devine 2,67	12 87
Mary Neal for Mrs. Devine,	2 50
J. S. Woodman for do.	9 00
L. C. McPherson 194,58, S. W, Cobb 3,26	197 84
J. B. Flanders 104, David Towle for Hadley 3,	107 00
G. W. Kibling for Mrs. Palmer	29 45
Dr. Smith for do. 3,10, I. O. Dewey for do. 1,01	4 11
	353 77

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The undersigned, Auditors for the Town of Hanover for the year ending March 13, 1865, respectfully report, that they find that the Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor charge the Town with sundry items paid out amounting to $43,598 25

They credit the Town with sundry items received amounting to $43,764 91

Balance due the Town 166 66

They report as due the Town on Tax bills, Notes, &c. as follows:

Due from the State for aid to Soldiers' families	$2800 71
Due from U. S. Government for bounties	7760 00
A. Smith's Note, balance of Tax bill 1862	42 56
N. S. Huntington's Note do. 1863	113 31

E. C. Delano's Note	do.	1864	329 55
Note of the State for bounties			8364 00
County for support of paupers			999 56
Dr. Crosby on Bridge lot			101 00
On Overseers' account			166 66
Liquor Agent			90 70
Invoice of Liquors on hand			468 49
			$21,236 54

The Town owes

J. S. Adams	300 00	Jason Dudley	102 50
Isaac Fellows	393 26	J. S. Perley	383 75
J. S. Perley	355 80	U. Dow	1025 00
Jason Dudley	321 18	Laura Dewey	276 75
Robert Kimball	1202 04	S. W. Cobb	512 50
M. E. Whittier	1636 64	Wm. Tenney	512 50
Ira Fellows	214 24	Eunice Mason	615 00
R. C. Durkee	1352 36	Bradley True	205 00
Lora G. Hurlbutt	454 74	Irenus Pingree	512 50
Lewis Simmons	428 24	R. F. Lyman	256 25
Laban Chandler	214 12	C. R. Woodward	307 50
Reuel Durkee	107 06	Carlton Camp	512 50
C. F. Ward	328 18	John Sweat	307 50
G. W. Worthen	4271 80	Martain Callahan	106 06
G. S. Whipple	1121 48	J. L. Bridgman	642 54
Mary J. Crosby	2123 92	J. W. Dewey	316 96
J. W. Patterson	2159 22	D. M. Hayes	264 09
Isaac Fellows	322 24	David Hurlbutt	116 18
J. S. Perley	477 00	Lora G. Hurlbutt	264 05
Dart. Savings Bank	1007 42	Reuel Durkee	443 79
J. L. Bridgman		Alanson Spaulding	209 60
School Money	652 04	J. L. Bridgman	314 38
Do. Freeman Fund	171 18	Mary J. Emerson	225 30
P. W. Durkee	320 12	Isaac Fellows	734 57
Joseph Tilden	213 06	Urvilla Fellows	62 97
Abigail Fellows	486 54	Reuel Durkee	523 87
A. B. Crosby	636 00	Laban Chandler	207 19
J. J. Mason	533 18	Wm. McIntire	103 54
Sarah Owen	213 06	D. M. Hayes	414 32
Calvin Webb	257 81	Diana Chandler	1029 48
E. C. Delano	514 36	S. C. Field	516 16
Asa Huntington	309 00	Alden Childs	2059 82
Eunice Mason	257 50	J. L. Bridgman	1650 64
E. D. Carpenter	1545 00	J. J. Mason	720 57
Ira Fellows	205 30	Emeline Hurlbutt	200 00

Susan C. Brown	205 30	Marinda Goodell	206 23
Asa W. Fellows	205 30	Reuel Durkee	376 55
Susan Bartlett	74 98	Ira P. Fellows	1030 00
Charles Sweat	307 50	Abigail Fellows	559 36
Marinda Fellows	153 75	Lydia Stevens	103 13
Darius Hurlbutt	153 75	Barna Barker	563 75
William Topliff	205 00	D. B. Russell	512 50
Marinda Goodell	225 50	P. W. Durkee	358 75
Minerva Owen	102 50	Martain Callahan	101 00
Lewis Hall	388 84	J. G. Sweat	706 00
O. S. Ingalls	253 75	Charles Houston	603 00

	$49,385 74
Total amount of Assets	21,236 54
	28,149 20
J. Williams' bequest	200 00
Balance of the Town's indebtedness	$28,349 20

The amount received by the Overseers of the Poor for Produce and Stock sold from the Town Farm is		$2398 84
The amount due from County for the support of Paupers for 1864		755 01
Excess of Inventory over that of 1864		386 23
		3540 08
Amount paid for Labor, Store and Mechanics Bills on account of Farm	1264 42	
Paid for support of Paupers off the Farm	762 99	—2027 41
Balance in favor the Town on account of Farm		$1512 67

We find the accounts of the Selectmen and Overseers to be properly vouched and correctly cast.

CHARLES A. AIKEN, } AUDITORS.
E. D. CARPENTER, }

HANOVER, FEB. 28, 1865.

REPORT

OF THE

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

MARCH 13, 1865.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

This school is in two departments, and has had three terms in each. The first and third terms of 12 and 11 weeks for the small scholars was under the care of Mrs. Taylor, who managed and taught this department with her usual success. She appears admirably adapted to her work. The district would do well to continue her services for years to come if they can be obtained.

The second term of this school of 12 weeks was taught by Miss Maria P. Johnson, who, after becoming more acquainted with her task, succeeded better than at the beginning.

The Summer term of 12 weeks for the larger scholars was under the care of Miss Emma Brigham, and was evidently taught and managed with very good success. Miss Brigham is among our most experienced and efficient teachers.

The Fall term of 10 weeks was taught by Miss Ellen F. Smalley. Under her skillful management the school appeared well, showing that mild treatment is not necessarily inefficient, nor harsh management necessary to order, quietness, and improvement. The Committee has never visited this school when it appeared better.

The Winter term of 10½ weeks was taught by Mr. Jason H. Dudley. Mr. Dudley is prompt and energetic, awakening mental activity and promoting a clear perception in his pupils, The school appeared well at the close of his term.

Whole number of scholars 147.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Summer term 10 weeks, by Miss Angie E. Hadley—an experienced and successful teacher.

Winter term 12 weeks, by Miss Hattie M. Bailey. Management and instruction commendable.

Whole number of scholars 9.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Summer term 8 weeks by Miss Ruth F. Hurlbutt.

Winter term 9 weeks, by Miss Estella A. Tracy. This school needs a stricter discipline, and to have a spirit of closer application and perseverance infused into it.

Whole number of scholars 21.

DISTRICT NO. 4.

The Summer, Fall and Winter terms of this school were taught by Miss Lucy E. Fellows. She has not been surpassed by any as an able, faithful and successful teacher and disciplinarian. On account of the advanced standing of several scholars and the variety of studies, none of our schools have demanded or received more labor from the teacher than this.

In her Report the teacher remarks " that the school has sustained its former character in respect to whispering. The smallest scholars have made improvement in that respect." She also says of the Winter term, that the attendance has been very prompt. About twenty have no tardy marks, eleven have not been absent one half day, and the average attendance of thirty is TWENTY-EIGHT !

Whole number of scholars 36.

DISTRICT NO. 5.

A Summer term of 12 weeks and a Winter term of ten weeks. Miss Ellen F. Smalley, teacher. Miss Smalley here fully sustained her former good reputation as a teacher. See District No. 1.

A department of small scholars was taught in the Winter by Miss Lucy R. Hurlbutt. with good satisfaction to the Committee and the District.

Whole number of scholars 38.

DISTRICT NO. 6.

Summer term of 10 weeks and a Winter term of 11 weeks, taught by Miss Susan S. Chandler. The school appeared well when visited. In the Winter term there were *only* five scholars. Their progress was commendable.

Whole number of scholars 16.

DISTRICT NO. 7.

Summer term 10 weeks, taught by Miss Lucy E. Grant, with very good success. It was her first term in teaching.

Fall term 10 weeks, by Miss Martha A. Warren. School appeared well when visited. It was not visited at the close.

Winter term 10 weeks, by Miss Lizzie W. Johnson. Miss Johnson sustained her former high reputation. See District No. 17. Progress good ; a very commendable improvement in reading.

Whole number of scholars 24.

DISTRICT NO. 8.

Summer term 10 weeks, Miss Gustie B. Hatch, teacher.

Not visited at the close. School appeared well when visited.

Winter term 8 weeks, Mr. Horace F. Hoyt Jr., teacher.

Mr. Hoyt has made a good beginning as a teacher.

Whole number of scholars 11.

DISTRICT NO. 9.

Summer term 10 weeks, by Miss Mary Orr. Her first term. School appeared well.

Fall term 10 weeks, by Miss Lizzie M. Alden, with very commendable success ; progress good.

Whole number of scholars 9.

DISTRICT NO. 10.

Summer term of 7 weeks and Winter term of 11 weeks, taught by Miss Mary C. Rawson. Miss Rawson ranks among our best teachers, and this school among our most advanced and best schools.

Whole number of scholars 15.

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Summer term 9 weeks, Miss Sarah J. Harris, teacher, and Winter term 8 weeks, Miss Augusta A. Merrill, teacher. This school has been well taught and well managed, and has been doing better than for two years previous.

Whole number of scholars 13.

DISTRICT NO. 12.

Summer term 8 weeks, Miss Lorinda C. Withington, teacher. An experienced and faithful teacher. In a quiet way she maintains order and promotes the improvement of her pupils.

The Winter term was well commenced by Miss Lizzie M. Hadley. On account of sickness she left in a few weeks. Mr. G. C. Furber taught a short time and left. In all it continued 7 weeks. The Winter term was therefore a failure.

Whole number of scholars 23.

DISTRICT NO. 13.

Summer term 10 weeks, Miss D. M. Colcord, teacher. The school at the close gave evidence of good order and thorough instruction.

The Winter term was commenced by Miss Agnes Bailey, but continued only 6⅓ weeks on account of the illness of the teacher, who is classed with our best teachers.

Whole number of scholars 24.

DISTRICT NO. 14.

This very small school had two terms of 7 and 8 weeks, Miss Helen M. Brown, teacher. She devoted her time, not necessary to the lessons of the large scholars, to teaching the younger, Hymns, general items in Geography, &c.

Whole number of scholars 4.

DISTRICT NO. 15.

Summer term 10 weeks and Winter term 13 weeks, Miss Julia A. Flanders, teacher. This school is composed of small scholars with two exceptions. It has evidently been under the care of a faithful teacher.

Whole number of scholars 10.

DISTRICT NO. 16.

Summer term 8 weeks, Miss Eliza E. Hoyt, teacher. Miss Hoyt's first term in teaching. School appeared well.

Winter term 9 weeks, Miss Sarah J. Harris, teacher. The school was small when visited at the close, but the teacher evidently deserves commendation.

Whole number of scholars 13.

DISTRICT NO. 17.

Summer term 10 weeks, Miss Harriet L. Smith, teacher. A stricter discipline would have improved this school.

Fall and Winter term 16 weeks, Miss Lizzie W. Johnson, teacher. Several from another District attended here this term and the school was one of the first character. Miss Johnson is very successful in the department of reading.

Whole number of scholars 20.

DISTRICT NO. 18.

This small school had a Winter term of 10 weeks, Miss Georgianna Harris, teacher. Her services were highly acceptable to the Committee and to the District.

Whole number of scholars 9.

The teachers employed for the instruction and management of our schools the past year have numbered 35, 3 males and 32 females, 15 of whom have their home in this town.

Whole number of weeks of schooling 369.

Whole number of scholars 446.

With few exceptions these teachers have been efficient and successful, and some of them of the first qualifications ; also faithful and conscientions in the discharge of their duty. With very few exceptions the schools exhibited good order and quietness, and there has been commendable and in some instances marked progress.

The Registers report 84 visits of the Superintending Committee, and of the Prudential Committees, 23. Other visitors 283.

The Superintending Committee, by furnishing books at the lowest wholesale prices, and by exchanging for old books at half price, has succeeded in introducing a set of books at comparatively reduced expense to the schools.

These books are thought to be the best of their kind, and if parents will purchase those recommended, when they procure new books, the work will be completed of having such uniformity as will greatly facilitate the proper classing of the schools ;—and be an accommodation to those, who go from one school to another, as is frequently done.

In the opinion of the Committee it would be money well expended, if the Districts would instruct their Prudential Committees to purchase a set of Reading Books and a Grammar for the use of the teacher in each of the schools, to be kept for that purpose from year to year. As it now is, the teacher in most cases depends upon some scholar for the use of a book while the class recites or practices in reading.

Finally in relation to books, it is recommended that the town pass a vote that the books introduced and now in use be continued to be used in the schools for five years from this time.

The following are the books recommended and now very generally used : — Town and Holbrook's Progressive Readers and Speller, Weld & Quackenbos' Grammar, Adams,' and Greenleaf's National, Colburn's, and Emerson's Arithmetics, Quackenbos' History of the United States, small and large, Colton & Fitch's Geography, Cutter's Physiology, Davies' Algebra.

BEZALEEL SMITH,

SUPERINTENDING COMMITTEE.

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